STAND BY MY SIDE

SONG:	I'M GONNA LOVE YOU THROUGH IT
ARTIST:	MARTINA MCBRIDE
ALBUM:	CD SINGLE OR ELEVEN
CHOREOGRAPHER:	MICHAEL VERA-LOBOS FEB 2012 – SYDNEY AUSTRALIA
ORIGINAL POSITION:	FEET TOGETHER WEIGHT ON LEFT 16 COUNT INTRO START ON VOCALS

BEATS: STEPS: TWO WALL INTERMEDIATE DANCE

1- 8&	**SIDE DRAG, BEHIND & SIDE , STEP FWD & ½ R, ½ R, COASTER BACK R , SIDE DRAG, BEHIND & ¼ L**
1,2&3&4	Step R to R, Cross L behind R & Step R to R, Step fwd on L & Pivot ½ R, Turn a further ½ R Stepping on L
5&6,7,8&	Coaster back on R Stepping back on R & Step L beside R Step fwd R dragging L towards R, Step L to L dragging R towards L, Cross R behind L & Turn ¼ L on L (9:00)
9 – 16&	**STEP FWD, ½ PIVOT L, FULL TRIPLE SPIN FWD R & ROCK FWD, REPLACE & ROCK BACK, REPLACE & ½ R**
1,2,3&4	Step fwd R, Pivot ½ L dragging R towards L, Full triple spin fwd R Stepping R,L,R (3:00)
&5,6&7,8&	& Stepping L beside R, Rock fwd R, Replace wt on L & Stepping R beside L, Rock back on, Rock fwd on R & Turning ½ R Step back on L (9:00)
17 – 24&	**¼ R SIDE ROCK & REPLACE , CROSS, FULL TRIPLE TURN L, CROSS & SIDE , BEHIND & STEP SIDE, WALK FWD/DRAG, FULL SPIN FWD R**
1&2, 3&4	Turning ¼ R Rock R to R & Replace wt on L, Cross R over L, Full triple L over L travelling L (12:00)
5&6&7	Cross R over L & Step L to L, Cross R behind L & Step L to L, Step fwd R dragging L towards R
8&	Travel fwd –Full Spin fwd R Stepping L then R (12:00)
25 – 32	**ROCK FWD, REPLACE & ¼ L, STEP FWD, ½ PIVOT L & ROCK FWD, REPLACE CROSS HOOK, ¾ TRIPLE FWD L**
1,2&3,4&	Rock fwd L, Replace wt on R & turning ¼ L Step L beside R (9:00), Step fwd R , Pivot ½ L & Step R beside L (End facing 3:00)
5,6	Rock fwd on L, Rock back on R Hooking L over R (3:00)
7&8	Travel fwd – Step fwd L & Turning ½ L Step back on R, Turning a further ¼ L End L to L (6:00)
33 – 40	**CROSS SWEEP, CROSS SWEEP, STEP FWD & ½ L, STEP FWD, ½ R SWEEP, ½ SAILOR R, ½ R**
1,2,3&4	Travel fwd – Cross R over L sweeping L to L, Cross L over R Sweeping R to R, Step fwd R & Pivot ½ L, Step fwd R
5,6&7,8	Turning ½ R Step back onto L sweeping R to R side, ½ Sailor R Stepping R,L,R, Turn a further ½ R stepping back onto L dragging R towards L (6:00)
41 – 48&	**ROCK BACK, REPLACE & ¼ L , TOUCH BEHIND, ½ UNWIND L, ¾ TRIPLE FWD R, CROSS SHUFFLE & HITCH**
1,2&3,4	Rock back on R, Rock fwd onto L & turning ¼ L Step onto R, Touch L toe behind R, Unwind ½ L (End wt L facing 9:00)
5&6,7&8&	Travel fwd – Step fwd R & turning ½ R Step back on L, turn a further ¼ R on R (6:00), Cross Shuffle L over R Stepping L,R,L & Hitch R to start again

RESTART - Restart dance on Wall 2 after count 40 facing 12:00 Wall

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